After Repeated Rejections. Beingle G. Larson, thirty of No. 11 early to-day because he was weatly to serve his emintry. He jumped from 5 second story window of his

series pounds to his weight, but thin yesterday.

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## REFUSED IN WAR, ENDS LIFE. Weight life applied to the medical BALANCE OF TRADE was full for inure men were FAVORSU. S. IN 1917 BY \$3,634,450,905 In extension At present coviain

favor of the United States on merchandles transactions for the fiscal 450,905," says the report. "The total of our merchandise export trade was \$6.203,806,000 and o f our import trade \$2,659,355,185. During the three months' period from the close of the Trade, was entertained at dinner is flavored with treason," he said. fiscal year to Oct. 1 the merchandise exports have been \$1,319,213,625. the imports \$729,978,017 and the net visible balance \$589,235,608.

"The Department earnestly hopes merce. It will strengthen one of the the conflict comes. weakest points in our foreign trade America would find a stronger and and will give confidence to many a keener competitor in England after manufacturer and merchant to un- the war, the speaker said. He added: dertake foreign business from which "This is not a challenge. We are now, for lack of the authority this willing to pit our nine against your

est reserve of gold the world has every man with a brick in his pocket."

Sir Albert spoke of the German prize. On it, as a secure base, rests our National. State, municipal, corporate and private credits. Let it be German trade was backed by a ma-

the volume of our foreign commerce intact. If we fall to take these eco- WALLET WILL FIGURE nomic movements at their true value the result will be upon our own heads and we shall only have ourselves to blame. We are in the family of a financial and commercial world and if we would keep our place and influence therein we must play our due part as one of the family.

"The establishment of free ports at strategic points on our coast would be a potent factor in maintaining and extending our foreign trade. Prop- low, whose death sentence for the to the employment of labor and to the returns of capital. By industries and warehouses located in the free port areas, the cost of duty on materials seed in the manufacture of articles emported from those ports would be go

over smaled waterways could be impered and goods could be impered and goods could thus be many afactured for export on the

Commerce Department Urges at all During the last year urgent Drive for World's Trade—
Have Biggest Gold Reserve.

Washington, Dec 12 Measures for making the most of America's world trade opportunity are foremost in Becretary Reddied's report of the many activities of the Department of Commerce presented to-day to Conditions now in process of world-wide reports to conditions now in process of world-wide readjustment will be limited unto conditions now in process of world-wide readjustment will be limited unto conditions now in process of world-wide readjustment will be limited unto

ernment work than any other, and come in contact with the commercial the billisted men in France and plans attaches in the course of their trays while all are touched upon in the long cis express their high valuation of the while all are touched upon in the long report, measures for promoting foreign trade and an account of the year's commercial operations stand at the top of the list.

"The visible balance of trade in

#### ENGLAND TO MAKE BID year ended June 30, 1917, was \$3,634. FOR TRADE AND WILL HAVE Red Cross representatives was the vi-IT OUT WITH AMERICA tal importance of maintaining Anglo-

LONDON, Dec. 13.-Str Albert Smalley, President of the Board of part of every Britisher and American last night by the officers and direct "German propaganda is tireless in its tors of the American Chamber of devices to make us mutually suspi-Commerce.

The Government, Sir Albert eaid, shall fall. was giving serious attention to the "It is seldom that the British and for the passage early in the coming trade problems with which England American soldiers will meet face to session of the so-called Webb bill, would be confronted in the new face. The British headquarters are now pending in the Senate. This world in which the nations would hundreds of kilometres from ours. measure will have an important bear- live after the war, for which she Always between them are the deviing in promoting our foreign com-

measure will give, he feels himself excluded.

"This country now holds the great-

aeriously diminished and the volume of credits that we can give it is

thereby diminished also.

The expressed the strongest conviction that the Allies would win, although it might be a long war.

The most hold as fully as we can though it might be a long war.

The first was the last, even when the him to the him to

## AT STIELOW INVESTIGATION

Found at Victim's Home on Night of Murder-Twenty Witnesses To Be Examined.

ALBION N. V. Dec. 13 .- Twenty witecial Grand Jury investigation into the rial and conviction of Charles F. Stie-George IL Bond, Special Prosecutor of the greatest importance,

substantially eliminated, the expense of railway transportation could be the case for the first line.

Warms Against Propaganda-Y. M. G. A. Needs More Huts.

gress. The department probably confor our national needs.

"American leastness men, who have activities of the T. M. C. A. among

Charles H. Sherrill. The keynote of the address by the

American harmony in this country. "Anything short of total sympathy and appreciation and trust on the

eaving that one is holding back and using the other as a tool, suggesting treachery, selfishness, cowardice. Describing the work of the Y. M.

C. A. abroad, Mr. Eddy said: Solid 14-karat gold, plain pol-ished, open face ease, thin and newest model, with 15-jewel

up an average of two huts or tents or busy bechive; it is the soldier's club, of his home, his church, his school, his bank, his post office, his recreational centre and his friend who stands by

not large enough or good enough for the men. You will send your sons from America to spend this cold winter on the bleak plains of France is pen bell tents. The people at home ittle realize to what a life their boys re going and what hardships wil Late them in Proces

nesses will be called to testify at the sion of problems while a bad arrien in National Charle, whose work in guard erly placed, constructed, equipped, or- Phelps-Welcott murders was commuted ing lives and properly after the deganized and operated, they would add to life imprisonment by Gov. Whitman, parture of the fighting men would be

appointed by the Governor, to being assisted by C. E. Waits of Albany, a Deputy Attorney General, and William Munson, present District Attorney.

Mr. Bond, it is understood, intends to go into the case as theroughly as would be necessary in an open court trial.

"We believe," he said, "that the new battalon of the New York Guard, whose units stretch along the southerty shore of Long Island, made up as they are of men who know every inch of that coast line, can perform coast guard duty there more efficientor the possibility of rapid interchange or strengthening of their finite by means of railroad transportation.

"There have been recruited into the New York Guard 12,000 men, who are new receiving a full conjument of unit New York Guard 12,000 men, who are now receiving a full equipment of unit forms, and have already received their rifles and an adequate supply of bacartridges. All of these supplies have been part for by the State of New York. The old policy of having thunits of the Guard confined to a few receiving but here reversed an incondities has been reversed, and since Sept. I we have placed New York Guard units in ever a hundre-localities, which is double the number formerly covered."

#### WANT GERMAN BOOKS KEPT OUT OF SCHOOLS

tate Dealers has started a movement to have excluded from the city's publie schools and colleges all books treating Germon ideas or promul gating German propaganda. At a meeting of the Board a resolution re-questing the Beard of Education t-carry out this plan was passed

earry out this plan was passed unnimously.

If was said that the action of the board was due to the speech list Sunday night of former Ambassador Gerard at the Bedford Branch of the Y. M. C. A. Mr. Gerard was enough as saying that German doctrines were being laught in local schools. Among the books he referred to, agreed the conting to a later statement by the forner Ambassador, are: "Probact's Conversation and Reading Books:" "About the Great King and Others" by Frederick Beitz: "German Foems for Memorizing," is Great Burkhard, and "German Lesson Book," by Prokosch and Purin.

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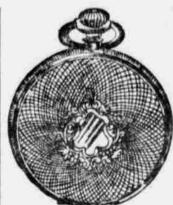
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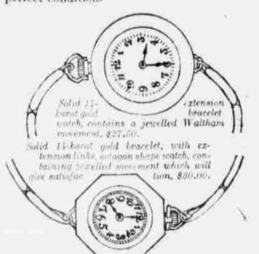
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